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| 11  | SAN FRANCIS  | DIVISION                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12  | IN RE: UBER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,  | MDL No. 3084 CRB                               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13  | PASSENGER SEXUAL ASSAULT   | Honorable Charles R. Breyer                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14  | LITIGATION   | ·  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |  | JURY TRIAL DEMANDED                            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15  | This Document Relates to:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 16  | Jane Doe LS 91 v. Uber Technologies, Inc., et  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 17  | al., Case No. 3:23-ev-04368-CRB  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|     | SHORT-FORM COMPLAINT AN  | D DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 19  |  | Form Complaint and Demand for Jury Trial       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21  | against Defendants named below by and through t  | he undersigned counsel. Plaintiff incorporates |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22  | by reference the allegations contained in <i>Plaintiffs</i>  | 'Master Long-Form Complaint in In Re: Uber     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 23  | Technologies, Inc., Passenger Sexual Assault Litigation, MDL No. 3084 in the United States   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 24  | District Court for the Northern District of California. Plaintiff files this Short-Form Complaint as   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 25  | permitted by Case Management Order No. 11 of this Court.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 26  | Plaintiff selects and indicates by checking-   | off where requested, the Parties and Causes of |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 27  | Actions specific to this case.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 28  | Plaintiff, by and through their undersigned  | counsel, allege as follows:                    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|                                      |   | GNATED FORUM <sup>1</sup>   |  |  |  |
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|                                      | 1.  | Identify the Federal District Court in which the Plaintiff would have filed in the    |  |  |  |
|                                      |   | absence of direct filing:   |  |  |  |
| Unite                                | d State   | s District Court, Northern District of California                                     |  |  |  |
| "Tran                                | sferee  | District Court").   |  |  |  |
| II. <u>IDENTIFICATION OF PARTIES</u> |   |   |  |  |  |
|                                      | A.  | <u>PLAINTIFF</u>  |  |  |  |
|                                      | 1.  | Injured Plaintiff: Name of the individual who alleges they were sexually assaulted    |  |  |  |
|                                      |   | battered, harassed, or otherwise attacked by an Uber driver with whom they were       |  |  |  |
|                                      |   | paired while using the Uber platform:   |  |  |  |
| Jane I                               | Doe LS  | 91  |  |  |  |
| 'Plain                               | ntiff").  |   |  |  |  |
|                                      | 2.  | At the time of the filing of this <i>Short-Form Complaint</i> , Plaintiff resides at: |  |  |  |
| Radfo                                | ord, Pu   | laski County, Virginia  |  |  |  |
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|                                      | 3.  | (If applicable) is filing this case in a representative                               |  |  |  |
|                                      |   | capacity as the of the and has authority to act in                                    |  |  |  |
|                                      |   | this representative capacity because  |  |  |  |
|                                      | В.  | <u>DEFENDANT(S)</u>   |  |  |  |
|                                      | 1.  | Plaintiff names the following Defendants in this action.                              |  |  |  |
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| 1                    |                                |           |             | $\boxtimes$ RASIER, LLC; <sup>3</sup>                    |                                  |  |
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| 2                    | ⊠ RASIER-CA, LLC. <sup>4</sup> |           |             |  |                                  |  |
| 3 ☐ OTHER (specify): |                                |           |             |  | This defendant's                 |  |
| 4                    |                                |           | r           | esidence is in (specify state):                          |                                  |  |
| 5                    |                                | C.        | RID         | E INFORMATION  |                                  |  |
| 6                    |                                | 1.        | The         | Plaintiff was sexually assaulted, harassed, batte        | ered, or otherwise attacked by   |  |
| 7                    |                                |           | an U        | ber driver in connection with a ride facilitated         | on the Uber platform in          |  |
| 8                    |                                |           | Staff       | ord County, Virginia on August 6, 2016.                  |                                  |  |
| 9                    |                                | 2.        | The         | Plaintiff was the account holder of the Uber acc         | count used to request the        |  |
| 10                   |                                |           | relev       | ant ride.  |                                  |  |
| 11                   |                                | 3.        | The         | Plaintiff provides the following additional info         | rmation about the ride:          |  |
| 12                   |                                |           | [PLI        | CASE SELECT/COMPLETE ONE]                                |                                  |  |
| 13                   |                                |           | $\boxtimes$ | The Plaintiff hereby incorporates Plaintiff's            | disclosure of ride information   |  |
| 14                   |                                |           |             | produced pursuant to Pretrial Order No. 5 $\P$           | 4 on February 15, 2024 or to     |  |
| 15                   |                                |           |             | be produced in compliance with deadlines so              | et forth in Pretrial Order No. 5 |  |
| 16                   |                                |           |             | ¶ 4, and any amendments or supplements the               | ereto.                           |  |
| 17                   |                                |           |             | The origin of the relevant ride was [STREET              | T ADDRESS, CITY,                 |  |
| 18                   |                                |           |             | COUNTY, STATE]. The requested destina                    | tion of the relevant ride was    |  |
| 19                   |                                |           |             | [STREET ADDRESS, CITY, COUNTY, ST                        | ΓΑΤΕ]. The driver was named      |  |
| 20                   |                                |           |             | [DRIVER NAME].   |                                  |  |
| 21                   | III.                           | CAUS      | SES O       | F ACTION ASSERTED  |                                  |  |
| 22                   | 111.                           | 1.        |             | Causes of Action asserted in the <i>Plaintiffs' Ma</i> . | ster Long Form Complaint and     |  |
| 23                   |                                | 1.        |             | llegations with regard thereto in the <i>Plaintiffs</i>  |                                  |  |
| 24                   |                                |           | uic a       | negations with regard thereto in the reality's           | Muster Long-Form Complaint,      |  |
| 25                   |                                |           |             |  |                                  |  |
| 26                   | 2 . 1:                         |           | 1.111.      |  |                                  |  |
| 27                   | Delav                          | vare and  | l Calif     |  |                                  |  |
| 28                   |                                | nited lia |             | company whose sole member, Uber Technologornia.          |                                  |  |
|                      | '                              |           |             |  | SHORT-FORM COMPLAINT             |  |

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are adopted in this Short-Form Complaint by reference, except that Plaintiff opts out of and excludes the causes of action specified below:

| Check any EXCLUDED causes of action | Cause of Action Number | Cause of Action  |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|--|
|                                     | Ι                      | NEGLIGENCE (including Negligent Hiring, Retention, Supervision, and Entrustment) |
|                                     | II                     | FRAUD AND MISREPRESENTATION  |
|                                     | III                    | NEGLIGENT INFLICTION OF EMOTIONAL DISTRESS                                       |
|                                     | IV                     | COMMON CARRIER'S NON-DELEGABLE DUTY TO PROVIDE SAFE TRANSPORTATION <sup>5</sup>  |
|                                     | V                      | OTHER NON-DELEGABLE DUTIES TO PROVIDE SAFE TRANSPORTATION <sup>6</sup>           |
|                                     | VI                     | VICARIOUS LIABILITY FOR DRIVERS' TORTS – EMPLOYEE                                |
|                                     | VII                    | VICARIOUS LIABILITY FOR DRIVERS' TORTS – APPARENT AGENCY                         |
|                                     | VIII                   | VICARIOUS LIABILITY FOR DRIVERS' TORTS – RATIFICATION                            |
|                                     | IX                     | VICARIOUS LIABILITY FOR DRIVERS' TORTS – Cal. Public Utilities Code § 535        |
|                                     | X                      | STRICT PRODUCTS LIABILITY – DESIGN DEFECT  |
|                                     | XI                     | STRICT PRODUCTS LIABILITY – FAILURE TO WARN                                      |
|                                     | XII                    | STRICT PRODUCTS LIABILITY – PRODUCT LIABILITY ACTS                               |
|                                     | XIII                   | UNFAIR COMPETITION LAW – Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code § 17200 et seq.                  |

## VI. **ADDITIONAL CAUSES OF ACTION AND/OR ALLEGATIONS**

## **NOTE**

If Plaintiff wants to allege additional Cause(s) of Action other those selected in paragraph , the specific facts supporting any such additional Cause(s) of Action, must be pled in a manner complying

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> This claim is pleaded in the *Plaintiffs' Master Long-Form Complaint* under the laws of every state except: Arizona, Colorado, District of Columbia, Illinois (for incidents prior to August 11, 2023), Michigan, Montana (for incidents prior to April 23, 2023), New York, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> This claim is pleaded in *Plaintiffs' Master Long-Form Complaint* under the laws of every state except: District of Columbia, Michigan, New York, Pennsylvania.

| 1                                      | with the requirements of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure ( <i>see</i> paragraph). In doing so you may attach additional pages to this <i>Short-Form Complaint</i> . |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ | Plaintiff asserts the following additional theories against the Defendants   |  |  |  |
| 4                                      | designated in paragraph $B(1)$ above:  |  |  |  |
| 5                                      | N/A  |  |  |  |
| 6                                      | 2. If Plaintiff has additional factual allegations not set forth in <i>Plaintiffs' Master</i>  |  |  |  |
| 7                                      | Long-Form Complaint, they may be set forth below or in additional pages:   |  |  |  |
| 8                                      | N/A  |  |  |  |
| 9                                      | WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for relief and judgment against Defendants for economic   |  |  |  |
| 10                                     | and non-economic compensatory and punitive and exemplary damages, together with interest,  |  |  |  |
| 11                                     | costs of suit, attorneys' fees, and all such other relief as the Court deems proper, and such further  |  |  |  |
| 12                                     | relief as the Court deems equitable and just, and as set forth in <i>Plaintiffs' Master Long-Form</i>  |  |  |  |
| 13                                     | Complaint.   |  |  |  |
| 14                                     | JURY DEMAND  |  |  |  |
| 15                                     | Plaintiff hereby demands a trial by jury as to all claims in this action.  |  |  |  |
| 16                                     | Dated: April 10, 2024 Respectfully Submitted,  |  |  |  |
| 17                                     | Well for   |  |  |  |
| 18                                     | William A. Levin   |  |  |  |
| 19                                     | Laurel L. Simes David M. Grimes  |  |  |  |
| 20                                     | Samira J. Bokaie   |  |  |  |
| 21                                     | Attorneys for Plaintiff Jane Doe LS 91   |  |  |  |
| 22                                     | CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE   |  |  |  |
| 23                                     | I hereby certify that on April 10, 2024, I electronically filed the above document with the  |  |  |  |
| 24                                     | Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which automatically sends notification of the filing to   |  |  |  |
| 25                                     | all counsel of record. In addition, the foregoing was served on Defendants' counsel via email at: MDL3084-service-Uber@paulweiss.com.                                    |  |  |  |
| 26                                     | <b>ુ.</b>  |  |  |  |
| 27                                     | By: / <u>s/ William A. Levin</u>   |  |  |  |
| 28                                     |  |  |  |  |